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NOTE: If you would like to have a notice posted in *The Law School Record*, you must submit your information to **Barbara Washington** in Room 626. All entries should include your name, and if possible, a number where you can be reached during the day or a locker number. If applicable, please leave the name of the student organization. All information must be in by Wednesday at 5:00 p.m. if you wish to have it posted in the following Monday's *Record*.

TO: FIRST YEAR STUDENTS

FROM: ASSOCIATE DEAN DEUTSCH

The School of Philosophy of the Catholic University of America, in association with the Thomas J. White Institute of St. Louis, Missouri, is offering a six week seminar and internship under the title, "The Philosophical and Cultural roots of Law".

The intent of the seminar is to lead students who have completed one year of law school to reflect, at a level which would not have been possible before that training, on the foundations of the Western legal tradition. Eminent scholars will be drawn from major faculties in North America to address basic legal and philosophical issues.

Students selected for the program will be placed as interns in various Washington Institutes and agencies which have something to do with the making of law. A stipend of \$3,000 will be provided to defray living expenses.

Brochures can be picked up in the office of the Associate Dean.

The **Ladas Memorial Award** is presented each year by the Brand Names Education Foundation to the author of the best paper on trademark law or subject that directly relates to or affects trademarks.

The award recipient will receive a cash prize of \$4,000; financial support up to \$1,000 for attendance at any educational program of the Brand Names Education of the United Trademark Association; and a set of the three-volume treatise. The paper also generally will be published in the Trademark Reporter.

The **Women's Law and Public Policy Fellowship Program** announces a program of fellowships for recent law graduates interested in spending one year working on women's rights issues in the Washington D.C. area.

Those interested in applying to become a fellow for 1990-91 must submit an application by November 30, 1989.

WRITING COMPETITION

The German Society of Pennsylvania and The German American Lawyers Association announces the 40th anniversary of the West German Constitution, the Grundgesetz. To celebrate, an essay contest comparing the Grundgesetz of the Federal Republic of Germany with the United States Constitution has been established.

Prize:

The author of the best essay, as determined by the judges of the contest, will receive a roundtrip air ticket from the United States to West Germany courtesy of Lufthansa German Airlines.

Eligibility:

Any American law student or attorney who has not passed the German Staatsexamen, and American graduate or undergraduate students.

Permissible topics:

Any constitutional theme, issue or doctrine that is discussed under German or American law, with attention given to comparative analysis.

Deadline: DECEMBER 15, 1989

The ABA Forum on the Construction Industry invites any ABA-approved law school student to participate in a writing competition.

Topic

Any topic relating to construction industry law.

Prizes :

1st prize \$1,500
2nd prize \$ 750

Deadline :

December 29, 1989.

The American Journal of Tax Policy is proud to announce the Ninth Annual Student Writing Contest.

The winning paper will be published in the American Journal of Tax Policy and the following prizes will be awarded:

1st place	\$1000
2nd place	\$ 500
Honorable Mention	\$ 250

- Students enrolled in American law schools are eligible to enter.
- Papers must concern tax policy and must not have been published or accepted for publication elsewhere.
- Entries must be postmarked no later than December 31, 1989.

The Drug Information Association is pleased to announce the DIA Fellowship in the Science of Drug Regulation.

- Clinical Pharmacology and Drug Regulation
- Two years of training beginning July 1, 1990
- Candidates must be U.S. citizens with a doctoral degree from an accredited institution.
- Application is by letter with curriculum vitae.

- Applications should be received by January 15, 1990.

The American College of Legal Medicine, presents the Schwartz and Letourneau Awards to a Medical or Pharmacy student and a Law student for authoring the outstanding original papers on legal medicine.

Criteria for Applicants

1. Authors must be currently enrolled in an accredited law, medical or pharmacy school in the United States or Canada.
2. No paper which has been previously published or which is scheduled for publication will be considered.

Contents

1. Papers must contain only uncollaborated original work.
2. Papers may either relate to research done by the author or be presented in essay form.
3. Paper may deal with any aspect of legal medicine.

Deadline

1. All papers must be postmarked no later than January 31, 1990.

The American Bankruptcy Institute (ABI) is sponsoring a writing competition on the subject of legislative reform of the United States Bankruptcy Code (title 11, USC), as amended.

Winning papers will receive cash awards up to \$2,500 and other benefits.

Each contestant is asked to select a section of the Code which, in their opinion, needs revision and to submit a scholarly paper setting forth why revision is required and how the writer would amend the language of the selected Code section.

DEADLINE

All papers must be received at the ABI office no later than February 1, 1990.

The Catholic University of America (CUA) Communications Law Institute holds the third Annual Stephen G. Thompson Memorial Writing competition in communications law.

Eligibility: Second and third year-year law students at any accredited law school.
Prizes : \$500 and \$200 to be awarded for the best papers.
Deadline : February 15, 1990

The Federal Circuit Bar Association announces its 1989-1990 George Hutchinson Writing Competition. The prize of \$1,000 will be awarded for the best paper submitted.

The topic for this competition concerns the jurisdiction of the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit.

The question for this year's competition is:

Should the Court's exclusive jurisdiction be expanded to include appeals from Federal District courts involving a claim relating to:

(a) Copyrights, (b) Mask Works, (c) Trademarks?

Papers must be submitted by February 15, 1990.

The Center for Computer/Law and the Computer/Law Journal are pleased to announce the seventh annual computer law writing competition.

Eligibility:

The competition is open to all those who are full or part-time law students during the 1989-1990 academic year.

Topics :

Any topic is acceptable as long as it addresses the legal or regulatory aspects of the computer industry.

Awards :

The five best papers will be awarded national honors, plus an honorarium of:

<u>1st place</u>	\$250	<u>2nd place</u>	\$150
<u>3rd place</u>	\$100	<u>4th place</u>	\$ 50
<u>5th place</u>	\$ 50		

Deadline:

Articles must be in on or before midnight. February 28, 1990.

The National Center for Preventive Law will award three \$1,000 prize awards for contributions in the field of Preventive Law:

\$1,000 for a written work by a law student.

\$1,000 for a written work by an attorney or other person.

\$1,000 for a project in Preventive law by a bar association, educational institution, legal service organization or other group.

Awards in each category are considered from either submissions of manuscripts or recommendations of published pieces/descriptions of programs received before March 1, 1990.

The American Law Institute-American Bar Association Committee on continuing Professional Education (ALI-ABA) is pleased to announce its second "Annual CLE Essay Contest" open to all full-time law students.

The first prize for the essay contest is \$1,000 and publication of the winning essay in ALI-ABA is CLE Journal and Register, a bimonthly publication devoted to exploring emerging issues in continuing legal education (CLE).

Essay submitted for consideration this year should address the question "What Are the Legal Criteria of Professional Competence for Lawyers?" In addition to answering this question, essay authors will be expected to propose a "model code" that articulates professional competence criteria for lawyers.

The deadline for submission of an essay is March 1, 1990.

The Indian Law Resource Center proudly announces prizes for innovative law student writing on American Indian Law, in memory of Petra Shattuk.

Eligibility:

Only law students are eligible to participate.

Prizes:

1st prize: \$2,000
2nd prize: \$1,000
3rd prize: \$ 750

Deadline: March 15, 1990

The National Energy Law and Policy Institute (NELPI) is pleased to announce its Energy Law Essay Competition. You are encouraged to enter if you are either a law student or a 1989 law graduate. The prize for the best essay is \$300 for the author and \$200 for the law school the students represents.

Eligibility

Only essays prepared between April 1, 1989 and March 31, 1990 will be accepted. A paper submitted for academic credit will be eligible, but one prepared as part of paid legal work outside the law school is not. The paper must not have been submitted for any other essay contest or been previously published. Joint author entries are not acceptable.

Topic

Any legal subject related to energy, including traditional subjects in oil and gas law; federal/state regulations of natural resources; development of energy resources on state, federal, or private lands; nuclear power; utilities; solar energy; international aspects of energy; or similar topics. The essay need not be restricted to case law.

Deadline

April 1, 1990

The International Association of Defense Counsel announces its 1990 Legal Writing Contest. Contestants are free to select their own subjects, but they should be in the fields of tort law, insurance law, civil procedure, evidence or other areas of the law relevant to lawyers engaged in the management and defense of civil litigation.

Eligibility

The IADC contest is open to all law students who are undergraduate law students at the time of

submission of their articles and who are enrolled in law schools accredited by the ABA.

Subject Matter

Any subject of the author's choice in the fields of tort law, insurance law, civil procedure, evidence, or any other area of the law of concern to lawyers engaged in the management and defense of civil litigation.

Cash Prizes

1st prize \$2,000; 2nd prize \$1,000; 3rd prize \$500

Deadline

On or before April 16, 1990

The Federation of Insurance and Corporate Counsel Foundation announces the 1990 student essay contest. No essay will be accepted unless prepare solely for this contest by one author, has not been previously published, and is not to be submitted in any other contest.

SUBJECT:

Any Insurance Related subject, including trial practice of liability litigation.

ELIGIBILITY

All law students enrolled in their second or third year of law schools accredited by the American Bar Association.

PRIZES:

1st prize: \$2,500
2nd prize: \$1,500
3rd prize: \$1,000

DEADLINE:

Essay must be received on or before May 1, 1990.

For further information, please contact Pat Rogers in room 305.

FACULTY NEWS

Professor Gary S. Laser spoke at the October 20 - 22 Midwest Clinic Conference for clinical education teachers which was held at Washburn University School of Law in Topeka, Kansas. Professor Laser spoke on whether law school clinics have a mission to foster public interest law

and if so, whether that mission is inconsistent with representing fee-paying clients.

Professor Marty Malin spoke to the 17th Annual International Conference of the Society of Professionals in Dispute Resolution in Washington, D.C. on October 21. Professor Malin spoke on The Need for Alternative Methods of Resolving Federal Employee Equal Employment Opportunity Complaints.

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REGISTRATION, SPRING 1990

Pre-registration for Spring 1990 courses will begin on Monday, November 6. The policy for permission to register for courses with an outstanding tuition balance is as follows:

Registration Policy

A student will be allowed to register with an outstanding tuition balance only if he/she has been approved to receive:

1. A Guaranteed Student Loan (GSL),
2. Perkins Loan (NDSL),
3. Supplemental Loan for Students (formerly ALAS),
4. Law Access Loan, and/or
5. other institutional loan/s (bank, etc.)

Students will not be allowed permission to register for any reason other than those listed above. Loans covering tuition charges for the Spring 1990 semester will not be accepted for credit against past due tuition balances.

Students should complete the "PETITION FOR GENERAL UNPAID TUITION POLICY EXEMPTION" form in order to be considered for registration with a past balance. Copies of the following verification information must be submitted along with the petition application:

1. Letter from the loan source (IIT Financial Aid Office, bank, etc. - NOTE: A copy of the bank loan application/confirmation is required for GSL and SLS loans) and,
2. Registrar's letter confirming the current outstanding tuition balance amount.

Petition forms may be picked up at the REGISTRAR'S OFFICE, ROOM 306, or the

ADMINISTRATION OFFICE, ROOM 302. Please submit application forms to Dawn Rupcich, Director of Administration and Finance, Room 302.

The Registration Policy will not be waived in order to allow a student to meet a registration deadline. Therefore, we urge you to allow yourself sufficient time in which to complete the necessary paperwork (it usually takes 1-2 days to process requests for approval).

ROMAN LAW

(4:05 - 5:00 p.m., Monday, Wednesday & Thursday)

Credit for the Course . As long as enrollment in the course remains small (under 15), the students may have the advantages of the course operating, in some respects, as a seminar. In that case, there will be three different ways in which credit and grade may be earned:

1. Examination - A regular, three-hour examination at the end of the course, now scheduled for 9:00 a.m., Friday, May 18, 1990. If only one student elects this option, the protections of anonymous grading cannot be provided.
2. A paper, but without award of the writing credit required for graduation. A Final Paper is due; a first draft is optional.
3. A paper, with the writing credit required for graduation. A complete first Draft is required, as is a conference with the instructor.

Every student must commit to one of these three options no later than the end of class on Thursday, February 1 (the end of third week). Students who elect either type of paper must have a topic selected and approved by the instructor by the following Monday, February 5. For further details, see Professor Hablutzel's secretary, Barbara Washington, in room 626.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

CHRISTIAN LEGAL SOCIETY

We apologize for the silence over the past few weeks, but we have returned! Since more members regularly attend our afternoon meetings, it was decided to set a regular weekly meeting time: Thursdays at noon. There was too

much confusion in alternating day and night meetings, sorry. Check our bulletin board for the room where meetings will be held - it may change weekly. Join us and take a break from studying and share in fellowship and uplifting discussions. All are welcome.

TRIAL ADVOCACY STUDENTS

This is to announce a meeting of All Trial Advocacy students interested in being part of the team that represents IIT Chicago-Kent College of Law in the National Trial Competition sponsored by the American Bar Association and the American College of Trial Lawyers.

This meeting will be in my courtroom, 1503, Daley Center, on Thursday, November 9, 1989, at 5:30 p.m. Please be on time.

The Regional Competition will be held in Chicago during the second week of February, 1990. The two successful teams from this region, which includes Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin and Minnesota, will travel to Dallas, Texas, for the final competition at the end of March.

In order to determine who will participate, we will have to learn something about your ability in a courtroom. We ask that you carefully review Case File 8.9, State v. Fletcher & Morris, contained in the Mauet & Wolfson "Materials" book. Be prepared to make a five-minute opening statement for either side, conduct a five-minute direct and cross-examination of the witnesses, Edwards and Green, and deliver a five-minute final argument for either side. Any trial advocacy student not graduating before June, 1990, is invited to try out for the competition team.

Please note that the procedure we will follow for selection of the final six team members is:

- (a) At the end of the November 9th tryouts we will choose at least two people;
- (b) Work on the Competition file will begin after final exams, although the file will be distributed before that time;
- (c) Additional selections may be made in January, after the intensive course;
- (d) All selections will be made by our trial team coaches.

If you have any questions, please call me at 443-4851.

AND NOTE: If you are part of our team, we will make substantial demands, in time and effort, until the Regional Competition in February, and hopefully, beyond. When it is over, win or lose, you will be a trial lawyer.

CLARIFICATION

1. You **DO NOT** have to provide witnesses;
2. You will not be given any time to prepare your witness;
3. You **DO NOT** have to prepare opening statements and closing arguments for both sides. Just pick the side you are most comfortable with.
4. You **DO** have to prepare the direct and cross-examinations of Edwards and Green for both the prosecution and the defense. You will, however, only do one side. You will be told which side you will do on November 9, 1989.
5. The try-outs are on November 9, 1989. Proceed to room 1503 where you will be told which rooms to go to. Be there at 5:30 p.m. **DO NOT BE LATE.**

I hope this clears up any inquiries you may have had. If you have any further questions, please call me at 443-4852.

Judge Warren D. Wolfson

WOMEN IN LAW

Board of Governors meetings are scheduled for the following dates:

Wednesday, November 1, 5:15 p.m.
Monday, November 13, 5:15 p.m.
Wednesday, November 29, 5:15 p.m.

INTERNATIONAL MOOT COURT

There will be a short meeting for all those trying-out for the 1990 International Moot Court team on Thursday November 2, at 5:30 p.m. in room 303. Please attend! If you are not present and have not contacted Ann Marie Revord (#334-0385), it will be presumed that you are not trying-out. We will not reserve a time and space for your oral argument.

ENVIRONMENTAL LAW SOCIETY

Harry Van Huben, water treatment expert with the United States Environmental Protection Agency will speak on Thursday, November 2, 1989 in

Room 325. He will discuss implementation of the Safe Drinking Water Act, including the recent amendments. Members and non-members alike are encouraged to attend.

PHI ALPHA DELTA

The Blackstone Chapter of Phi Alpha Delta, the world's largest Law Fraternity is sponsoring the following events:

November 2 - There will be a meeting at 12:00 in Room 647. All students who have not obtained applications and are interested in becoming members and being included in the forthcoming Initiation are encouraged to attend and learn about Phi Alpha Delta.

November 2 - Applications and initiation fees are due in the P.A.D. mailbox in the 3rd floor college office by 10:00 p.m.

November 2 - The Chicago Alumni Chapter of Phi Alpha Delta is sponsoring a "Cajun Country Style" celebration at the Maple Tree Inn, 10730 South Western Ave. Please see Peter Winthrop for details.

November 3 - The initiation of new members, professors and alumni will take place at the ceremonial courtroom of the Dirksen Federal Building, 219 South Dearborn Room 2525 at 5:30p.m. We will all meet near the guard's desk in the lobby on the first floor at 4:30 p.m. A party will take place afterwards.

For further information contact Peter Winthrop, Justice, at 599-6566 or Dean Jonathan Tomes, Faculty Representative and advisor.

CHICAGO BAR ASSOCIATION

The Law Student Division of the Young Lawyer's Section meets on the second Thursday of every month at the CBA, which is located at 29 South LaSalle Street, 11th Floor. Membership applications are available in Room 301, or you can call the CBA at 782-7348 for more details.

SPORTS AND ENTERTAINMENT LAW SOCIETY

IIT-Chicago Kent is looking to establish the Sports and Entertainment Law Society (SELS). The SELS will meet monthly and discuss various applications of law to these areas. The scheduled topics range from sports law and the professional agents to the negotiation of movie rights. In addition SELS will have professional athletes and entertainers as well as sports agents as guest speakers. All those interested in signing up for

the SELS leave your name and phone number with Dean Tomes before November 1.

ATTENTION ALL DORMANT TALENT

The SBA is interested in forming an "All Talent Law Review". If anyone would like to showcase their talents that you can't show off in class, i.e., singing, guitar, piano, poetry or even a satiric take-off on this great institution of higher education, contact Jack Hagerty in the SBA office or leave a note in Richard Paull's locker #184.

HALLOWEEN PARTY!

HALSA in conjunction with SBA is proud to sponsor the second annual Kent Halloween Bash!

When: Halloween: Tuesday, October 31.

Where: Celtics Club

Time: 6 - ?

FREE BEER! FREE BEER! FREE BEER!

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STUDENT ENRICHMENT CLASSES

The Dean of Students, the Black Law Students Association, the Hispanic Law Students Association, and the Student Bar Association will sponsor a series of five enrichment classes this year for first-year students who may need assistance in adjusting to the academic demands of the law school. Classes will meet from 5:00-5:50 p.m. on the days set out in the schedule below in Room 304.

The classes are designed to help students to master the materials in the first-year course and the requirements of legal writing and to cope with the problems which may arise because of the intensive experience of law school. Dean of Students Jonathan Tomes, other faculty members and students will teach the classes, which are open to all.

Enrichment Class -- Fall, 1989

November 6	Time and Stress Management
November 27	Outlining and Examination Preparation How to Write Examinations

DISCOUNTED LOTUS SOFTWARE NOW AVAILABLE THROUGH BOOKSTORE

The IIT Chicago-Kent Bookstore is pleased to announce that it has become an educational

reseller of Lotus Development Corporation software. Students, faculty, and staff may now purchase - at approximately 1/3 the retail price - any Lotus software, including 1-2-3 (v. 2.2 & 3.0); Magellan, Agenda, Symphony, Freelance Plus, and Manuscript. Prices and additional information are available at the Bookstore. Background information on some of these Lotus programs is available at the Computer Center.

SEMINAR ON CONSTITUTIONAL THEORY: A CRITICAL INQUIRY

This seminar will be taught spring semester, 1990 by Professor Nahmod.

Description: This seminar is being taught at the law school for the second time. It explores the thought of some of the greatest and most influential thinkers of the late 19th and 20th centuries and the relevance of their ideas for constitutional law. It also touches upon critical legal studies.

In the course of covering modern and post-modern thinkers, as well as structuralist and poststructuralist theories, the seminar will cover Nietzsche; Derrida and deconstruction; Foucault and discourse analysis; Freud on psychoanalytic theory and femininity; Richard Posner on law and literature; and Alan Bloom's Closing of the American Mind.

In addition, the following constitutional law topics will be addressed: the private/public distinction, racial and gender discrimination, abortion and flag burning.

Students need not have any philosophy background, but should have an interest in big issues and an open mind. Con Law II (which covers equal protection - racial and gender discrimination - due process - privacy and abortion - and state action) is not a prerequisite. Still, it is recommended that students at least take Con Law II while they are taking this seminar.

At the end of the semester, each student will write a paper applying the insights derived from the seminar to a constitutional law topic of his or her choosing.

On a personal note, I would like to mention that this seminar was very exciting last year. I look forward to an equally stimulating seminar next semester. Please contact me in Room 504 or call me at 567-5761 if you have any questions.

NATIONAL LAWYERS GUILD PRESENTS CIVIL RIGHTS AND CIVIL WRONGS: THE DREAM YET AGAIN DEFERRED

We are proud to host the annual Rothstein/Dickerson lecture series this year at Kent University of Connecticut Professor of Law, John Brittain is this year's featured speaker. He will be addressing the retreat from civil rights enforcement evidenced by a series of Supreme Court decisions in the last term. Dean Deutsch will welcome the lecture series and invite all to attend a wine and cheese reception afterwards. Exercise your right to education and awareness and join us for this provocative examination of our constitution. Wednesday, November 1 in room 642 at 5:30. For more information, see handout on second floor.

NEW COURSE - SPRING 1990

Seminar on The Origins of the Bill of Rights
DO YOU KNOW:

- Why some Founders regarded the Bill of Rights as "dangerous"?
- What three of the original thirteen states did not ratify the Bill of Rights until 1939?
- That the First Amendment was originally third because the Bill of Rights as approved by Congress contained twelve articles? (The first two failed to be ratified by a majority of the states.)
- Which proposed amendment received support from the highest number of states?
- The original meaning of "freedom of the press"? "establishment of religion"? "the right of the people to keep and bear arms"? "cruel and unusual punishment"?
- The "forgotten" purpose of the Ninth Amendment?
- Whether the "original intent" of the Framers really matters? If so, which intent, whose intent, and why?

These and other questions will be addressed in a new seminar, to be taught spring semester by Professor David Mayer. The seminar will examine the Bill of Rights as originally drafted and ratified, in its historical context - i.e., as part of the broader story of the protection of individual rights, beginning in England and continuing in America, both before and after the American Revolution.

Everyone will begin with some common background readings, to be discussed in class the first three weeks of the semester. Each participant in the seminar will research, present a report on, and write a paper about one of the provisions of the Bill of Rights. After each of the amendments is discussed in turn, the seminar will conclude with a discussion of the Bill of Rights as a whole and the relevance of historical inquiry to contemporary problems in constitutional law.

There are no prerequisites; the seminar is open to all second and third year students. Although it might be helpful, no background in history and/or constitutional law is either required or expected; just an interest in the Bill of Rights and a curiosity about its history.

For more information, see Professor Mayer in Room 217.

LAW OFFICES CLASS SCHEDULE - SPRING 1990

The class schedule for Law Offices for Spring 1989 was omitted from the preliminary class schedule handed out to students.

Law Offices classes will meet at the following times during the Spring 1990 semester.

In-House Clinic I - Civil	MW	4:05-5:55
In-House Clinic I - Criminal	M	6:00-7:25
In-House Clinic II - Civil	M	4:05-5:55
In-House Clinic II - Criminal	W	4:05-5:55
Advanced Externship	W	3:00-3:55
Judicial Externship	F	11:45-12:35

NEW DAY SECTION OF BANKRUPTCY

For the first - and perhaps only - time students may enroll in a day section of Bankruptcy Law. This section will briefly survey creditor's nonbankruptcy rights and remedies, and then will focus upon individual and business liquidations and reorganizations under the Bankruptcy Code. Because bankruptcy principles underlie the structure of most modern commercial transactions, all students, particularly those planning to practice any sort of commercial or corporate law, are strongly encouraged to attend.

Completion of Commercial Law I is recommended, but not required.

Students with questions about the course should contact Professor Sepinuck, in room 318.

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INCREASE IN STAFFORD ORIGINATION FEE

As you may be aware, one of the effects of the initial sequester order under the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 (Public Law 99-177) is to increase the origination fee on Stafford loans from 5% to 5.5%. This increase is effective on all loans and all disbursements of all loans with a first disbursement date on or after October 1, 1989.

NOTE: If your loan is disbursed without the additional .5% deducted, your lender will have to bill you directly. This increase is being challenged by the lending community.

AAA & IIT CHICAGO-KENT ANNOUNCE CHICAGO REGIONAL LABOR ARBITRATION AWARDS REPOSITORY

The American Arbitration Association and IIT Chicago-Kent College of Law are pleased to announce the opening of the Chicago Regional Labor Arbitration Awards Repository. The opening of the Repository culminates two years of planning and gathering labor arbitration awards from labor arbitrators listed on the panels of the Chicago Region.

AAA and IIT Chicago-Kent view the repository as a significant addition to the research resources available to the labor arbitration community. It houses awards not available through the commercial publishers of arbitration awards. "There are many arbitrators and many issues that receive little or no attention from the commercial publishers. We began the repository in an effort to fill this vacuum," said Ray McAlpin, Chairman of the AAA Labor Advisory Committee.

The repository contains approximately 200 arbitration awards. It is housed at IIT Chicago-Kent. The awards are indexed by name of arbitrator and subject. Bound volumes are available for inspection free of charge at the IIT Chicago-Kent Law Library, 77 S. Wacker Drive, fourth floor. Interested parties may also order copies of awards by arbitrator name for a nominal fee from IIT Chicago-Kent.

Several characteristics make the repository unique. The awards available through the repository were selected by the arbitrators themselves. Every labor arbitrator listed with the AAA Chicago Region was invited to submit up to four awards to the repository, provided that the arbitrator had permission from the parties to publish the awards. "We view this as a significant

service for our members and the labor arbitration community in general," said AAA Regional Vice President Scott Carfello. "If it is successful in Chicago, it could be expanded in this area."

For more information contact the Repository Administrator, Barbara Washington, at (312) 567-5896.

ATTENTION EVENING STUDENT PARTICIPANTS!!

Fall Interview Information Hotline Instructions

Evening students must continue to call the interview information hotline, 567-8843, every day between 12:00 Noon and 11:00 am the following morning. If your name is among those listed, call the Career Services Office at 567-5783 to schedule an interview time slot. Failure to call during this designated time period will result in the forfeiture of your interview slot. The hotline will be in operation from Monday, Sept. 11 through the duration of the program.

ATTENTION FIRST YEAR STUDENTS! REGISTRATION

First year students must register in person for the Spring 1990 semester. Consult the Spring 1990 schedule of classes for course numbers, class days and meeting times.

Your registration forms will be available on November 6 and 7 in the 2nd floor lounge as long as your tuition is paid in full for the fall 1989 semester. Come to the registrar's office, room 306 if you have any questions.

Registration for first year evening students will be November 8 and 9 from 4-6pm in the 2nd floor student lodge. Registration for first year day students will be November 15 from 9am-2pm in the 2nd floor student lounge.

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CAREER SERVICES NEWS

1989 Fall On-Campus Interview Program

Addition: Seattle - King County Public Defender Office (Seattle, WA) 90 attorneys; criminal defense practice; Interview date: Monday, November 6; Interviewing: Both 2L & 3L students; Hiring criteria: 2Ls must have interest in public interest or criminal law, 3Ls must have demonstrated their interest in the same (i.e. criminal clinic, externship, or some experience in public interest setting). Submit resume to Career Services Office by Tues., Oct. 31.

1989 Summer Employment Survey

Several weeks ago, the 1989 Summer Employment Survey was mailed to all continuing students. If you have not yet completed and returned this form to the Career Services Office, please do so immediately. If you can't find your survey, pick up a new form in Room 221. The information you provide in response to this survey is needed to answer career planning questions asked by Kent students.

Workshops and Programs

Attention ALL students!!! The Career Services Office will continue to present important career workshops and programs throughout November. The schedule for upcoming programs is as follows:

1) **FIRST YEAR STUDENT CAREER SERVICES ORIENTATION PROGRAM - Attention FIRST YEAR STUDENTS!!** - On TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31 at 11:45 AM in ROOM 101 and 5:00 PM in ROOM 642, The Career Services Office will hold its 1L ORIENTATION PROGRAM. This is a crucial program for all first year students as it will include discussion of the legal job market, how legal hiring works, summer jobs, career planning guidelines, and the services and resources of the Career Services Office. This program is mandatory for students wishing to use the Career Services Office resources after November 1st.

2) **SUMMER CLERK JOB SEARCH STRATEGIES - Attention first and second year students!** A job search workshop regarding summer law clerk positions will be held TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7th at 11:45 AM in Room 642. Strategies and sources for helping to land a summer clerk position will be discussed.

3) **JUDICIAL CLERKSHIPS: AN INFORMATIONAL PROGRAM - SPECIAL ATTENTION 1991 GRADUATES** - A special program on the value of a judicial clerkship as an entry level career opportunity will take place on WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 8TH at 4:30 p.m. The **PANEL DISCUSSION** portion of the program will be held in Room 101 from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. A panel of judges will discuss the responsibilities of clerks, the advantages of a judicial clerkship, and the application and selection process. All students, including first year students, are invited. Students graduating in 1991 are particularly urged to attend since applications to most federal and some state judges for 1991 clerkships need to be made in early Spring 1990. Those students attending this panel program are invited to attend

a **STUDENT/ALUMNICLERKSHIP RECEPTION** in the first floor rear lobby immediately following the program. Alumni who are serving or have served judicial clerkships are also invited to the reception, giving students the opportunity to learn first-hand about the value of a judicial clerkship.

4) **RESUME WRITING WORKSHOP** - Workshops designed to provide students with the basic information needed to create a legal resume will be held on **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14th** at 11:45 AM in ROOM 101 and 5:00 PM in ROOM 642. Students who would like individual review of their resume by a Career Services staff member, **MUST** attend one of these sessions prior to scheduling a counseling appointment.

Other Info and Handout News

1990 & 1991 Graduates Seeking a Judicial Clerkship

All '90 and '91 graduates who plan to seek the backing of the Faculty Judicial Clerkship Committee as part of their application for federal or state judicial clerkships will need to pick up the committee's application materials in the Career Services Office, Room 221. **APPLICATION PACKETS WILL BE AVAILABLE ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 6th.** It is the purpose of the Faculty Judicial Clerkship Committee to assist IIT Chicago-Kent students in obtaining clerkships by providing institutional recommendations and by counseling on strategies in seeking a clerkship. Students are reminded that a judicial clerkship is a post-graduation, full-time position on the staff of a judge. Most federal judges hire their law clerks 12 to 18 months before employment starts. **THE COMMITTEE'S APPLICATION DEADLINE IS 6:00 PM, TUESDAY, JANUARY 16, 1990,** which is the first day of classes for the spring term. This deadline applies only to those students seeking the committee's recommendation and does not preclude students from applying on their own for judicial clerkships.

U.S. Justice Department Summer Intern and Honors Program Informational Sessions - On November 2nd & 3rd, the U.S. Justice Department will be using Chicago-Kent's facilities for their midwest regional interviews. While here, Ms. Peggy Strand, Chief of the Environmental Enforcement Section of the Lands and Natural Resources Division, would like to meet with students interested in the Justice Department Summer Intern or Honors Program for next year. On **FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3rd at 1:00 PM** (this will be a brown-bag lunch session) in room 304, she will would like to meet with both first and second year students who would like more information

about these programs (program structure, application procedures, etc.) as well as all students either already enrolled in the Environmental Law Program or interested in pursuing a career in environmental practice to discuss the opportunities that exist with the Justice Department's Land and Natural Resources Division. Students interested in these programs in general and environmental law in particular should not pass up this opportunity to meet with Ms. Strand.

Federal Communications Bar Association Minority Recruitment Committee - The Federal Communications Bar Association, Washington, DC, has established a Minority Recruitment Committee to encourage minority lawyers and law students to enter the practice of telecommunications law. To facilitate minority recruitment, the Committee has established a "Resume Referral Service" to assist minority law students in their quest to break into this expanding practice area. Minority law students or graduates interested in pursuing summer or permanent employment in telecommunications law must send application materials to Washington by November 10, 1989. Pick up Handout #31 for application procedures.

Legal Writing Instructors - U. of Illinois College of Law

Six Instructorships are available for the 1990-91 academic year at the U. of I. College of Law. Instructors assume primary responsibility for two first-year courses: Legal Writing & Research, and Appellate Advocacy. There is also the opportunity for those instructors interested in an advance degree to enroll in the LL.M. program. Most legal writing instructors have been able to complete all the required LL.M. coursework within their year in residence. Third year students who are interested in this type of post-graduate position should pick up Handout #27 in the Career Services Office for application procedures. Application prior to January 1, 1990 is encouraged.

Legal Writing Instructors - Northwestern University School of Law

Northwestern University School of Law is now hiring Legal Writing Instructors for the 1990-91 academic year. Duties will begin August, 1990. Each instructor has primary responsibility for teaching legal writing, analysis, and research techniques to one section of the first-year class. Interested third year candidates should pick up Handout #23 for application procedures.

**Office of the State Appellate Defender -
Springfield**

**Summer Intern Program - First & Second Year
Students**

The Springfield Office of the State Appellate Defender is accepting applications from first and second year students for their summer legal intern program. This office is seeking students with an interest in criminal law and a good legal writing background. The Office of the State Appellate Defender represents indigent clients who are appealing convictions to the Illinois Appellate and Supreme Courts, including nearly half of the death penalty appeals in Illinois. The summer intern program is ten to twelve weeks in duration; interns are paid \$300 per week. Interviews will be conducted in December and January; students are encouraged to submit resumes now. For more information, pick up Handout #25 in the CS Office.

**Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press
Fellowship Program**

The Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press, Washington, DC will offer two one-year fellowship positions for recent law school graduates beginning in September 1990. The Reporters Committee is a voluntary, unincorporated association of reporters and editors dedicated to protecting the First Amendment interests of the news media. The Reporters Committee's staff provides cost-free legal defense and research services to journalists and their attorneys throughout the U.S. Candidates must have received a law degree by August 1990 to be eligible for the program. June 1990 degree candidates interested in these fellowships should pick up Handout #29 in the Career Services Office. Deadline for receipt of applications is January 2, 1990.

**Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press
- Summer Intern Program -** The Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press, Washington, DC, has reinstated its summer legal internship program. Preference will be given to second and third year students and to students who have education and/or experience in journalism. Applications should be submitted before January 31, 1990. Interested students should pick up Handout #30 in the Career Services office for further details.

CALI lessons home on disk?

As of this week there will be a new item in the **Lessons on the Law** sub directory. This item will be named something like 'CALI for Home Use' and will include several CALI lessons that you can download to disk. The process for downloading will be similar to the way you downloaded the LEXIS information to your disk. Just place a blank 5.25" disk in a drive, highlight the lesson you want, press ENTER, and follow the instructions on the screen. When you get home you can load the lessons onto your hard drive by typing **A:INSTALL** from the A:. There will also be instructions on the table outside 643.

What is going on with the printers? They keep changing.

Sometime this week there will be two more Okidata printers installed in 416 and another in 641, making a total of four network printers in the Library computer lab (one laser, three network dot matrix) and three in 641 (one laser, two dot matrix). Select the proper printer destination through your software and send your document to the printer as usual. Then go to the computer sitting beside the printer and follow the instructions on the wall behind the printer. This new routine should reduce some of the paper waste because of the opportunity to reset the paper position before your document is printed and because unwanted documents will not be printed.

When are we going to be able to access WESTLAW from KentNET?

Kent Law School has been approved as a beta test site for WESTLAW's new

network software. According to WESTLAW we should have that software by the end of next week. Barring any unforeseen problems with it (like it not working on our network) we should have it up and running within two weeks.

When can 2nd and 3rd year students download LEXIS cases?

You can do it now. Instruction sheets are on the table outside 643.

Laser Printer FONTS are now available!

What's a "FONT?", you ask? A font is a type style that you can use in printing your documents. They are named things like "Swiss Roman 8, 12 point" and "Dutch Bold 14 point." If you have used the laser printers this semester, you have printed with the built-in font, "Courier 10," which was the only one available. Additional fonts can be made available on the laser printer in two ways: through the use of a Cartridge, or with Downloadable(DL) Fonts. The method we're using is DL fonts.

Recently, we received a starter-kit of "downloadable fonts" from the "Bitstream" company. This "Fontware" was offered free of charge to registered WordPerfect 5.0 users (*these fonts only work with WordPerfect, not Framework*).

Among the benefits you get by using these fonts are: a more professional-looking printout, different sizes and styles of typefaces, and the capability to become more "expressive" in documents like resumes and cover letters. Keep in mind though that since these fonts are downloaded into the printer's memory, it will take longer for your document to print.



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